

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

CREIGHTON TAKATA, individually and on
behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

RIOT BLOCKCHAIN, INC. f/k/a BIOPTIX,
INC., JOHN O'ROURKE, JEFFREY
MCGONEGAL, BARRY HONIG,
CATHERINE DEFRANCESCO, MICHAEL
BEEGHLEY, JOHN STETSON, MARK
GROSSMAN, ANDREW KAPLAN, MIKE
DAI, JASON LES and ERIC SO,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:18-02293 (FLW) (TJB)

**NOTICE OF MOTION TO
WITHDRAW**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, as soon as she may be heard, Defendant Catherine DeFrancesco, by and through her counsel at Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP ("Quinn Emanuel"), shall move before the Honorable Tonianne J. Bongiovanni, of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, for an Order for the withdrawal of Alexander P. Wentworth-Ping of Quinn Emanuel as counsel to Ms. DeFrancesco; and

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a proposed Order granting the relief requested is submitted herewith.

DATED: May 22, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ Jaclyn Palmerson

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jaclyn Palmerson, hereby certify that, on May 22, 2020, I electronically transmitted the following documents via the Court's CM/ECF System for filing and transmittal of Notice of Electronic Filing to the CM/ECF registrants on record in this matter.

/s/ Jaclyn Palmerson
Jaclyn Palmerson